

House Resolution No. 79

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who admirably help students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier of Lee's Summit, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as the Director of Orchestras at Lee's Summit West High School and the head of the Digital Media Technology Center of Excellence for the Lee's Summit R-VII School District; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier recently enhanced his already impressive record of achievement when he was selected to receive the 2007-2008 Outstanding Music Educators Award for Missouri from the National Federation of State High School Associations; and

Whereas, no stranger to honors and accolades, Kirt Mosier received a commission to write "Out Of Adullam" in 2004 for the Missouri All State Orchestra, won the 2004 Merle J. Isaac Composition Contest with "American Reel", won the National School Orchestra Association Composition Contest in 1993 with "Baltic Dance", wrote the 1993 All State Orchestra music titled "Revelation", and was named as one of "50 Directors Who Make a Difference" by School Band and Orchestra Magazine, among other recognitions; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier also writes music for Epic Entertainment, which is a subsidiary of Starlight Theatre in Kansas City, and is the worship director at Deerbrook Covenant Church in Lee's Summit; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier has helped ensure the highest standards of conduct and performance in his chosen field of endeavor through his service as vice president of the Kansas City Metro District of the Missouri Music Educators Association, as the Missouri state representative for the National School Orchestra Association, and as the Missouri state coordinator for the National High School Honors Orchestra that performed at the 1996 MENC convention; and

Whereas, Kirt Mosier prepared for his diverse endeavors in life by earning Bachelor's and Master of Music in Composition degrees from the University of Missouri-Kansas City:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Kirt Mosier for an Outstanding Music Educators Award from the National Federation of State High School Associations and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Kirt Mosier of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Kate Meiners
District No. 46

Representative Jeff Grisamore
District No. 47

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 79, adopted January 14, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker